

**Remarks**

Claims 18 and 19 were allowed in the Final Office action mailed December 13, 2006, while the remaining claims under consideration were rejected. In response, (1) allowed claims 18 and 19 have been retained in the application, (2) the dependency of rejected dependent claims 12-17 and 20 has been changed so that these claims depend (directly or indirectly) from allowed claim 18, (3) new dependent claims 21-27, corresponding respectively to dependent claims 12-17 and 20 but depending directly or indirectly from allowed claim 19, have been added, and (4) rejected independent claim 11 has been cancelled without prejudice.

Since all of the claims presented for consideration have either been allowed or depend from an allowed claim, a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 1/18/07

By:

Richard S. Koppel  
Richard S. Koppel

Registration No. 26,475  
Attorney for Applicants

Hewlett-Packard Company  
P.O. Box 272400  
Intellectual Property Administration  
Fort Collins, CO 80527-2400  
(U:MR/RSK/Filings/Amend./Amend (Final) HP19910US1)

**CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, Express Mail Label EM 052655437 US, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

1/18/07  
Date

Mariana M. Rivas  
Mariana M. Rivas